

Member Message September 24, 2020

Dear Mothers and Sisters,

UPDATE ON THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR POSITION

In light of our experience of functioning during the pandemic, **we are exploring the possibility that the position of Executive Director can, to a significant degree, be fulfilled remotely.** There are periods of time when the Director must be physically present, eg. for events like the Formators' Workshop and National Assembly and for meetings with other individuals and groups, but there is a significant portion of the Director's responsibilities that can be accomplished remotely. As we noted previously, the position will become vacant as of December 23, 2020. In light of the significance of this position to the functioning of the Council, we are asking you to prayerfully consider having one of your sisters apply for the position. A description of the position can be found <u>here</u>.Please contact me if you have a sister who would like to apply or if you have any questions.

The Consecrata Committee is looking for articles for the Fall issue of Consecrata. The theme for the issue is: *Our role (as Religious Sisters) in bringing hope to a nation that is troubled.* The focus would be on stories of how your sisters brought hope through peace and prayer in this time of pandemic/unrest. Articles should be 350-400 words in length. Please send a photo with your article as well, if you have one. The deadline to submit articles is October 19th. Articles and photos may be emailed to Jenny at:**jpoudrier@cmswr.org**.

We continue to keep all of you in prayer.

In Christ,

Sister Mary Christine Cremin, R.S.M. Executive Director



Vision Statement

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